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PURPOSE

1. This instruction establishes a method for the correction of "ILLEGAL CHARACTERS" which corrupt user data within the USF, IDF, CWF, and the CRF files. This corruption is sometimes referred to by users as: RE-PEATING READOUTS, TARGET LOOPING, AND ROLLING SCREEN.

REFERENCE

2. N/A

PROCESSING

- 3. When a user calls for assistance the following information should be solicited:
 - a. User name, organization and extension.
 - b. File user is working in:
 - (1) If CRF ascertain:
 - (a) Cable number
 - (b) Cable date
 - (c) Cable type
 - (2) If CWF ascertain:
 - (a) Cable number
 - (b) Cable type

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- (3) If IDF ascertain:
 - (a) MRN
 - (b) Exploitation level
 - (c) Mission ID
 - (d) Record being worked
 - (e) IS/Pass if exploitation level is P
 *PI notes, *PROFILE,STA-DES, DEF-SEC
 or OB
 that is needed is the MRN
- (4) If USF ascertain:
 - (a) MRN
 - (b) Exploitation level
 - (c) Mission ID
 - (d) Record being worked: STA-DES, DEF-SEC, OB or PHOT
 - (e) IS/Pass if Exploitation level is P.
- (5) Sign on the System in XES mode.
- (6) On the OPTION DISPLAY, light pen either:
 - 1st PHASE 11 (if EXPLOITATION LEVEL is P or C)
 - . 2nd PHASE (if EXPLOITATION LEVEL is S, B, 7, 0 or D)
 - . TRANSMIT
- (7) On the EXPLOITATION FUNCTIONS DISPLAY, light pen:
 - . SPECIAL FUNCTIONS
 - TRANSMIT

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- (8) On the SPECIAL FUNCTIONS DISPLAY, light pen:
 - BAD CHARACTER SCAN
 - TRANSMIT
- (9) On the BAD CHARACTER SCAN DISPLAY:
 - Select the appropriate file and enter/or light pen the required data.

EXAMPLE

USF [X]STA-DES[-]DEF-SEC[-]OB[-]PHOT [0]4776]REC-MRN[P]XPL-LVL[KH5582]229]MSN-ID[0309]ISPASS

(10) The OCO should then go to the appropriate display and determine that corrections have been made. If this procedure will not correct the problem, DBS should be notified.